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AMERICAN OIL TANKER BLOWS UP PIRATE SUB

BRITISH PRESS NEAR CAMBRAI

Pushing Toward St. Quentin
Where Germans in Retreat
Show Greatest Resistance.

FRENCH ALSO ON HAND

Successes Scored By Petain's Troops
Where Lines Join British—Americans Bombard Little Mountain—
Foe Still Retreats in Flanders.

London, Sept. 10.—The Germans have markedly stiffened their resistance against the Allied armies from the region of Arras to Rheims, but their efforts to ward off further encroachments into the territory they are holding have failed.

All along the front the German big guns are in action, while machine guns in vast numbers are being placed in strategic positions, which the Allies are endeavoring to gain.

Nevertheless the British have dug more deeply into the sector southwest of Cambrai, capturing important positions in the four-mile front between the Havincourt wood and Piezleres, regaining their old trench positions dominating Gouzeaucourt and capturing Gouzeaucourt wood.

French Nearer St. Quentin.

To the south the French are only a short distance west of St. Quentin and are at the gates of La Fere. On this last named sector the French daily are enlarging their turning movement against the St. Gobain forest, the conquest of which would remove the greater barrier to an Allied advance in force eastward toward Laon in an outflanking movement against both the Aisne and Chemin-des-Dames position of the enemy.

London, Sept. 10.—The British forces, after pausing for several days along the line west and northwest of Cambrai, where the Germans settled themselves behind the Canal du Nord, are reported attacking a section of this line in considerable strength.

What is unofficially described as a "formidable thrust" was developed by Field Marshal Sir Douglas Haig's forces along the Arras-Cambrai road, which crosses the canal about six miles from the outskirts of Cambrai. Whether this will prove to be the expected attack to break the canal line or merely a reconnaissance in force, however, remains to be developed.

British Menace St. Quentin.
It is definitely reported, however, that on the line to the south the British are pressing forward toward St. Quentin, where the German retreat has been slowest and accompanied by the greatest resistance.

Successes also have been scored by the French in the St. Quentin region where their line joins the British. There have been indications that the Germans intended making a stand along the Crozat canal, defending the stronghold of La Fere, the principal outlying protection of the St. Gobain massif on the north.

Frustrated by French.
This plan appears already to have been frustrated by the French, however, a crossing of the canal opposite Liez, about three miles northwest of La Fere, having been forced last night by General Petain's forces.

Elsewhere the French are right up to the Crozat position along virtually the entire length of this canal with their infantry only four miles from St. Quentin and their cavalry patrols hard upon La Fere.

PRESIDENT GIVES UP TOUR

Will Not Make Trip Across Continent This Fall.

Washington, Sept. 10.—Definite abandonment of President Wilson's plans for a transcontinental speaking tour for the fourth Liberty Loan is announced at the White House.

Captured Prussian Insolent.

With the Americans in France, Sept. 10.—A big German drive to victory by autumn is what Ludendorff is planning, according to Lieutenant von Albersleben, whose father is said to be one of the Kaiser's advisers. When captured, von Albersleben replied insolently to his questioners. Asked his opinion of the present situation, he flippantly declared Ludendorff is moving his troops according to tactical plans and that he later will make a big drive for a German peace this year.

PRINCESS MARY
Made Honorary Commander of
Older British Regiment.



Princess Mary, only daughter of King George and Queen Mary, has been appointed honorary commander and colonel-in-chief of the Royal Scots (Lothian Regiment), the oldest in the British army. This regiment has a splendid record and although the first name it bears on its colors is that of the victory of Blenheim in 1704, it existed at least a quarter of a century earlier.

World's Series 5th Game Resolves Itself Into Lengthy Debate

(By United Press)
Fenway Park, Boston, Sept. 10.—After refusing for two hours to agree to play the fifth game of the world's series this afternoon, the Cubs and the Red Sox finally agreed to go on providing public announcement was made that the players believed they had been unfairly treated, but would play for the good of base ball.

They demanded shares given the Cubs taking second, third and fourth places.

Chicago batteries were Vaughn and Killifer; Boston batteries, Jones and Agnew.

First inning, Chicago 0, Boston 0.
Second inning, Chicago 0, Boston 0.

Third inning, Chicago scored one run when Sollocher walked, stole second and scored on Mann's double. Boston 0.

Fourth inning, Chicago 0, Boston 0.

Fifth inning, Chicago 0, Boston 0.
Sixth inning, Chicago 0, Boston 0.
Seventh inning, Chicago 0, Boston 0.

Totals end of seventh, Chicago one run, four hits, no errors. Boston, no runs, four hits, no errors.

Germany Will Attempt Counter Offensive

Washington, Sept. 10.—That Germany is about to attempt something approaching a counter offensive along the western line is the belief here today.

French Capture Gibercourt

Paris, Sept. 10.—Striking toward St. Quentin from the south the French took Gibercourt an official statement says, and they are progressing toward Hindcourt and Esigny LeGrand.

YANKS BLOW HUN OUT OF WATER AND SMASH HER TO SMITHEREENS

Congress This Session Will Attempt to Reduce High Cost of Living-- First Step is Meat Supply

First Call Under New Draft of September is for Men
Between 32 and 36 Inclusive, and 19 and
20 Year Registrants

Thousands of Build- ings Destroyed in Odessa Fire

(By United Press)
Zurich, Sept. 10.—Russian dispatches state that thousands of buildings were destroyed in a huge fire in Odessa and hundreds of persons are missing.

Allied Citizens Arrested in Moscow

(By United Press)
Washington, Sept. 10.—Two hundred and forty English and French and some Americans were arrested in Moscow by the Bolsheviks according to a courier reaching Samara. Seventy were thrown into prison and the American was later released.

House Committee Favors Bone Dry Amendment

(By United Press)
Washington, Sept. 10.—The house agricultural committee agreed to report favorably the bone dry amendment in the food stimulation bill making the country bone dry by July, 1919.

Big German Sub- marine is Sunk

(By United Press)
An Atlantic Port, Sept. 10.—The sinking of a big German submarine Sept. 1st in the mid-Atlantic was reported by the crew of an American oil tanker in a forty minutes battle, on arrival here today. The submarine was blown out of the water and then broken to pieces.

Congress Will Reduce High Cost of Living

(By United Press)
Washington, Sept. 10.—Congress will attempt this session to give the American people relief from the high cost of living, the first step to be the introduction of a bill placing the nation's meat supply in government hands it was indicated today.

Men Between 32 and 36 and 19 and 20 First to be Called

(By United Press)
Washington, Sept. 10.—Men between 32 and 36 inclusive and 19 and 20 year old registrants, will be called first in the new draft General Crowder announced today. Eighteen years old and those above 36 will be called last. September calls will exhaust original class one.

Embargo on Grain Shipments to Twin Cities Announced

(By United Press)
St. Paul, Sept. 10.—A temporary embargo on the shipment of any grain into the Twin Cities, effective at midnight tonight, was announced today by A. W. Trenholm, federal manager of the Twin City railroad terminals. The congestion of the terminals is due to the heavy shipments and slow handling because of labor shortage, and re-inspection, is a contributing cause. This may have the effect of causing some grain to go to Duluth and Milwaukee and Chicago.

French Capture Many Towns

(By United Press)
Paris, Sept. 10.—In their advance against St. Quentin the French captured Hill 103 less than 4 miles south of the city the war office statement says. Driving along the Ham-St. Quentin road the French captured Rouppe. Pushing toward the Hindenburg line north of LaFere the French swept across the Crozat canal at many points and advanced two miles beyond it, seizing Claestres, Montecourt, Lizerollers, Remigny, Fort-Jez and woods northwest of Canters farm and Rouge farm.

YANKEES ENDURE MURDEROUS FIRE

COL. DUNN
Made Judge Advocate of De-
partment of Northwest.



Col. George M. Dunn, one of the "Rough Riders" in the Spanish-American war, has been made Judge Advocate of the Department of the Northwest, succeeding Major Philip H. Stoll. Col. Dunn entered the army in 1898 after graduating from Washington university the same year.

Germans Using Fresh Troops to Halt Americans

(By United Press)
London, Sept. 10.—In an effort to halt the Americans who with the French are flanking the Chemin des Dames from the westward, the Germans are throwing in fresh troops between the Ailette and the Aisne.

Americans Engaged in Desperate Assault

(By United Press)
With Americans Afield, Sept. 10.—Americans launched an assault on Lepette Montagne table land Monday morning working their way up the steep slopes in the face of a heavy fire of machine gun nests and a large amount of sniping. Working in small groups the Americans are gradually cleaning out the nests one by one and are slowly approaching the belts of barbed wire and entrenchments on the plateau. The last reports show the Americans are working in and around the sides of the table lands.

British Have Pressed Beyond 1917 Line

(By United Press)
London, Sept. 10.—"Already we have pressed beyond our old battle line of 1917, and we have made a wide breach in his strongest defenses," General Haig declares in his order of the day.

Situation in Siberia

(By United Press)
Vladivostok, Sept. 10.—Direct communication with Olivanayan has been established by the Czechoslovakians in Siberia according to Harbin advices. The Bolsheviks at Troitzk-ozavsk has surrendered.

British Troops Advance

London, Sept. 10.—British troops advanced south of Havincourt last night General Haig reported officially.

Infantry Charges German Posi-
tions Under Hail of Machine
Gun Bullets.

FOE FIGHTS BRAVELY

American Attack on Aisne Positions
Is Preceded by Heavy Artillery
Preparation—Foe Contests
Every Foot of Ground.

With the American Army on the Aisne Front, Sept. 10.—American infantry, in the face of the stiffest machine gun fire since they crossed the Vesle in force, advanced at certain points on a curved line from Glenes to Vill-Arcy. The attack was preceded by a heavy artillery bombardment.

From the plateau the Americans took up positions in the ravines which drain northward, but the advance was necessarily cautious, owing to the commanding position of La Petite Montagne, which is the highest point in that region.

The American and French artillery bombarded this mountain, where the Germans had built strong emplacements for heavy machine guns and also kept up a continuous fire upon all points where the German artillery had been endeavoring to hold back the advancing infantry.

The principal resistance with which the Americans had to contend came from the region of La Petite Montagne, northeast of Revillon, where observers reported there were from 30 to 40 machine gun nests entrenched on the summit of the hill. On the other hills to the south of the Aisne the German machine gunners had taken the positions, and with snipers at various points caused some annoyance. Yanks Advance in Groups.

The Germans threw shells into Fismes, Bazoches, Blanzay and other places in an effort to check the Allied troop movement.

There was a strong direct and indirect fire from La Petite Montagne. The machine gunners blazed away, but the American detachments made headway at intervals by keeping under any possible cover and not attempting to go ahead in large numbers.

American officers say indications are that the Germans intend to cling to every foot of ground south of the Aisne as long as possible, using machine guns until the gunners are blasted from the positions.

Foe Reinforces St. Gobain Line.

American Headquarters Between the Ailette and the Aisne, Sept. 10.—The French and American troops have evidently reached a line beyond which the enemy considers they cannot be allowed to advance with safety to his defenses, and he has thrown himself against this new line with an energy which discloses the arrival of fresh troops.

They are also beginning to reveal an abundance of artillery of all calibers, which has been concentrated on this chief danger spot in his line—the outer defenses of the St. Gobain massif.

ARSON PLOT IN CALIFORNIA

Damage to Industrial Plants is Placed at \$5,000,000.

Sacramento, Cal., Sept. 10.—Evidence concerning a statewide arson plot, said to have resulted in damage estimated at \$5,000,000 to industrial plants in California has been presented to the United States grand jury, according to Robert Duncan, attorney representing the Department of Justice.

Thirteen Industrial Workers of the World, alleged to be implicated in the plot, are held in custody here and at Fresno and Los Angeles, Duncan said. "The arson campaign was a part of the general conspiracy of Industrial Workers of the World to obstruct the government's activities and destroy food," Duncan said.

36 BRITISH OFFICIALS HELD

Accused of Implication in Attempt on
Lenine's Life.
Stockholm, Sept. 10.—Thirty-six British officials are imprisoned in Russia under threat of being shot if Premier Lenine dies, it was learned in a message from Helsingfors. The British prisoners are accused of being implicated in the attempt to kill Lenine.



Here is an American battery of 155 mm. guns, believed to be borrowed from the French, placed just south of Soissons to shell the German position.

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THE WEATHER

Weather Forecast for Next 24 Hours:

Cooler.
Co-operative observer's record, 7
P. M.:
Sept. 9, maximum 69, minimum
42. Reading in evening, 49. Rain-
fall 0.08 inch. North wind. Clear.
Sept. 10, minimum during night,
32.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES

* News of Parties, Visiting Sol-
diers, Other Visitors, Weddings,
Deaths, Accidents, Etc., grate-
fully received by the Dispatch.
Telephone Northwest 74.

For Spring Water phone 264. If
W. J. Bland of Duluth was in the
city.

Axel Shepstedt went to the Soo,
Michigan, this afternoon.

Miss Mary Oakes is now in charge
of the cigar stand at the Ransford
hotel.

Special rate for men leaving for
colors. Anderson Studio, 214 South
Seventh St. 8415

Barley flour, you will notice on
scanning the Food Fair Price List,
has fallen 8 cents.

Attorney C. W. LaDu of Minneapo-
lis, formerly of Pine River, was in
the city on legal matters.

Nettleton, he sells liberty lots. 831f

Bush came to the rescue of Babe
Ruth in yesterday's game and held
Chicago in the ninth inning.

Charles Cover of Riverton was fined
\$10 in municipal court for speed-
ing on Oak street and paid his fine.

What's your idea of "Old Wives
for New." You can answer better
after seeing today's program at the
Best. 11

Mrs. Louis Wirth and baby of St.
Paul are guests of her brother and
sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. John T.
Imgrund.

Money to loan on city real estate.
J. H. Kregelberg. 741f

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Whitney of
Clearwater are visiting their son and

Elks Notice!

You are Requested
to attend the funer-
al of Brother H. C.
Miller at Staples,
on Wednesday after-
noon, 2:30 o'clock.

BEST THEATRE

TODAY

**"Old Wives
for New"**

See Ad

daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. D. E.
Whitney.

Two boys were born at the
Northwestern hospital being the
sons of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Johnson
of Bemidji.

For bargains in houses and lots,
see J. R. Smith-Sleeper Block. 2261f
Sugar has gone up a cent and a
half a pound, but the price stays at
10 cents a pound retail in Brainerd
until present stocks are exhausted.

Johnson bus will leave Dairy
Lunch at 8:15 tonight for Fort Rip-
ley Red Cross dance. J. H. Johnson.
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Mrs. Tom Willis is leaving today
for Edmonton, Alberta, Canada, for
a two months' visit with her brother,
F. C. Rowell, whom she has not seen
for fifteen years.

White Cross Lodge No. 30, K. of P.,
will meet Wednesday evening at 8
o'clock. This will be the first meet-
ing of the fall season and a large at-
tendance is expected.

This is the time of the year that
you think of cotton and woolen blan-
kets. We are showing a splendid as-
sortment and would like to show you
the line. B. Kaatz & Son. 1

At 2:30 o'clock this afternoon
funeral services were held over the
remains of Mike Peterson Rev. M. L.
Hostager officiating. The funeral
was conducted from the chapel of B.
C. McNamara.

Prices for the Bergh violin recital
Sept. 20th, is adults 35 cents, chil-
dren 10 cents, war tax included. 831f

H. C. Miller of Staples, prominent
Elk of Brainerd lodge died Monday
afternoon at his home after a long
illness. The funeral will be held on
Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock
at Staples and Elks of Brainerd are
asked to attend.

Crystal Spring Water, \$1.00 month.
L. Bourassa, Telephone 13. 541m

Thieves breaking into George
Senn's warehouse Monday evening
stole three sets heavy harness, one
single harness, seven collars and a
lot of whips. Police have taken up
clues and in addition Mr. Senn has
offered a reward.

Let Olson hand wash your rugs.
Phone 653-J. 101f

Dispatch want ads measured over
a column and a half on Monday.
There were 18 help wanted, 12 for
rent, 16 for sale and 4 miscellaneous
wants. Telephone your wants
to the Dispatch, Northwest 74, or
mail the ad or have it sent to the
office. Ads are cash.

Guaranteed Homer Pipeless Fur-
naces for sale by D. M. Clark & Co.
391f

There was a neighborhood quar-
rel aired in municipal court and a
lady was found guilty of disorderly
conduct after a lengthy hearing. Sen-
tence was suspended by the court.
The rest were cautioned to discon-
tinue quarrelling and the next time there
was any trouble, the police were to
arrest all concerned.

For Sale—1918 Ford car run four
months. Herbert Peterson, at Pri-
deaux & Roller's garage. 611f

Auto owners of the city, the public
spirited ones, are asked to confer
with Sheriff Claus A. Theorin before
Thursday. Cars are needed on reg-
istration day as the local board will
have to exercise supervision over
precincts. You cannot do your coun-
try a greater service than offering
your car and your assistance as
chauffeur on registration day. Call
up the sheriff by telephone or see him
personally as soon as you read this
and you will be assigned your work.

True economy lies in owning your
home, large gardens, raising your
own foodstuffs including meat. Ex-
change chickens, eggs or something
you raise for groceries. Use a good-
ly portion of increased wages in pay-
ing for the home. Start now, select
fine large liberty lots, get building
materials on easy terms as we have
arranged. Pay this with your rent
money. Do much of the work of
building and improving yourself
when off duty. Live in your home
while paying for it. For photo-
graphs of such homes see and con-
sult P. B. Nettleton, president Lib-
erty Realty Co. 11

King Ferdinand Back in Sofia.

Amsterdam, Sept. 10.—King Ferdi-
nand of Bulgaria returned from Ger-
many to Sofia, according to a dispatch
received here from the Bulgarian cap-
ital.

Pavors League of Nations.

Stockholm, Sept. 10.—Matthias
Erzberger, leader of the German
Centrist party in the reichstag, in
an interview recently has declared
himself very much in favor of a
league of nations idea. "I personally
agree with Earl Grey's scheme for a
league of nations," Herr Erzberger
said. "Germany is not aiming to at-
tain world domination. She only
wants equal rights. The Allies are
criminally flustered if they think they
will beat Germany."

BEYOND COMPARE

**MUNSING
WEAR**

FUEL CHIEF WILL ACT

Dr. Garfield Intends to Fix Price
of Gasoline.

Lower Rate is Expected to Govern-
ment, Allies and the General
Public.

Washington, Sept. 10.—Dr. Gar-
field, fuel administrator, announced
that he expects soon to fix a price for
gasoline for domestic consumers, as
well as the government and the Allies,
at a figure lower than the present mar-
ket price. He is awaiting further re-
ports on the situation before taking
definite action.

No intimation was made as to what
the fixed price would be.

Dr. Garfield's announcement dis-
closed that for some time considera-
tion had been given the problem of
bringing the price of gasoline to a
lower level. Several reports already
have been made to Mark L. Requa,
director of the oil division of the fuel
administration, and it was the intima-
tion that our completion of the investi-
gation now being conducted, immedi-
ate action would be taken.

Disclosure of Dr. Garfield's purpose
came during an informal talk with
newspaper correspondents, in which
the stocks of gasoline in the country
and the stated shortage east of the
Mississippi river, which caused the
administration to request that no pas-
senger automobiles be operated on
Sundays in that section were dis-
cussed.

Dr. Garfield would not discuss re-
quests that this request was based on
information furnished the administra-
tion by the oil industry for the alleged
purpose of maintaining the present
price of gasoline in the face of a re-
ported large supply in the country.

CLOSE ELECTION IN MAINE

Democrats Make Deep Inroads Into
the Republican Vote.

Portland, Me., Sept. 10.—The Demo-
crats made deep inroads in the Repub-
lican vote in the election in Maine,
but early returns indicated that they
had failed to wrest control from the
Republicans. On the face of figures
from more than half the state it ap-
peared that United States Senator
Bert M. Fernald, Republican, and prob-
ably all four Republican congressmen,
had been returned to office.

The re-election of Governor Carl E.
Milliken, by a plurality of about 3,800,
is indicated by the early returns.

Early legislative returns indicated
that the Republicans would continue in
control in both branches.

GOVERNOR PHILIPP LEADING

Milwaukee Journal Claims His Nom-
ination at Primary.

Milwaukee, Sept. 10.—Governor
Philipp, according to the Milwaukee
Journal's primary election returns,
leads Roy P. Wilcox for the Repub-
lican nomination by 298 votes. The
figures are based on official returns
from 60 counties and unofficial figures
from 11 counties.

Smile at Submarine Threat.

Washington, Sept. 10.—Naval of-
ficials here are not disturbed by pub-
lished reports from London that Ger-
man submarines now are concentrat-
ing their efforts against American
troop ships. It was said that it has
been taken for granted here the Ger-
man admiralty would adopt such a
course to meet the growing clamor of
those at home who demand to know
how more than a million American
soldiers have crossed the seas in
safety, and that steps have been taken
to meet the increased menace.

STRIKES BLOW AT TREASON

Senate Passes Important Amendment
to Espionage Act.

Washington, Sept. 10.—An amend-
ment to the espionage act designed to
reach draft slackers and to punish
disloyal talk was passed by the Sen-
ate after brief debate and sent to the
House. It fixes a maximum penalty
of 20 years' imprisonment or a fine
of \$10,000, or both, for making false
reports of statement with intent to
interfere with the United States mili-
tary or naval success.

BREAK AVERTED, IS REPORT

Spain and Germany Said to Have
Solved Differences.

Madrid, Sept. 10.—A satisfactory so-
lution of the Spanish-German con-
trovercy over submarine warfare is
reported to have been reached. The
cabinet meets in a few days to discuss
it.

Ambitious Small Girl.

"Mister, please, mister, can I have
a job?"

"All the girls on our block are pick-
ing fruit; the boys are working in
the shipyards, and I want to do some-
thing for Uncle Sam," twelve-year-old
Alice told Charles Sjoborg, timekeep-
er at the Hanlon Dry Dock and Ship-
building plant, as she sought a "po-
sition."

"Sure, I can do anything," she con-
tinued, as she explained that her name
was just Alice. "I'd like to be a heat-
er, or a rivet-passer," she added as
she said she would grow up and be
a riveter and break the record.

Tears welled as she set out in search
of an orchard where she could pick
fruit after Sjoborg told her she would
hardly do as a riveter.—San Francis-
co Call.

Petroleum in New Zealand.

The government of New Zealand is
encouraging the development of petro-
leum deposits in the islands, which
constitute its domain. It has paid one
company \$48,665 for the first 1,000,000
gallons of petroleum produced. One
field on the west coast of the South
Island contains, it is estimated, at
least 38,000,000 gallons of crude oil
in shale. Other prospects are to be
investigated soon with government as-
sistance.

AUCTION

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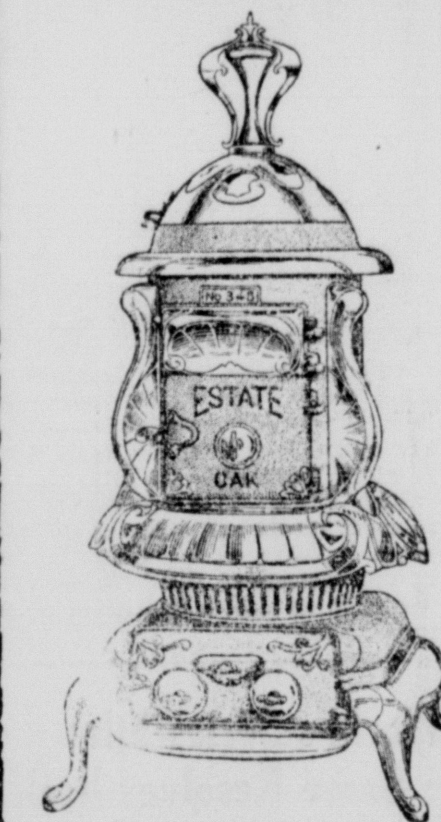
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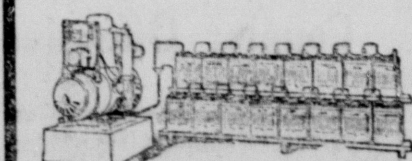
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WOMAN'S REALM

GOSPEL SERVICES

Evangelist J. H. Ash of Minneapolis to Preach at Evangelical Association Church

Evangelist J. H. Ash of Minneapolis will preach at 8 P. M. each evening of this week at the Evangelical Association church in Northeast Brainerd.

Mr. Ash was manager of one of the Pillsbury-Washburn flour mills for fourteen years. As an evangelist he is independent, as an orator fearless, as a Christian unselfish and humble, loyal to the word. You are welcome. Geo. Herbold, pastor.

Presbyterian Aid

The Presbyterian Ladies Aid society will be entertained on Wednesday afternoon Sept. 11th by Mesdames W. P. Dieckhaus and F. C. Schranklin at the home of the former, 416 S. Broadway. Immediately following the business meeting a 15c luncheon will be served to which all members and friends of the society are given a cordial invitation. Come and bring a friend.

Bible Study

Bible study and prayer service of the Peoples Congregational church will be held on Thursday evening, at 7:30 o'clock. The lesson is found in the fifth chapter of Matthew and the sixteenth chapter of Acts. Choir rehearsal immediately following Bible study.

Peoples Congregational Aid

The Ladies' Aid society of the Peoples Congregational church will be entertained in the social rooms of the church on Wednesday afternoon, Sept. 11th, by the ladies of the society. All ladies are invited and welcome. Lunch served promptly at four o'clock.

First Congregational Aid

The First Congregational Ladies' Aid will meet Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock with Mrs. C. B. White and Mrs. Wilson, entertaining.

Baptist Aid

The Ladies' Aid society of the First Baptist church will meet Wednesday afternoon in room 2, Hayes building, for tying comforters.

Life and Work.

I must do my own work and live my own life in my own way, because I'm responsible for both.—Kipling.

WAY THIS WAR WILL BE WON

Not All of Us Can Fight, but Surely All of Us Can Give Our Money.

It's no use saying, "The government's slow," or "If I were Foch I'd do so-and-so!" You can talk and argue and grouch all day, but the war's not going to be won that way.

It's no use saying, "As I'm unfit I can't be expected to do my bit. I'll do nothing if I can't slay." The war's not going to be won that way.

It's no use saying "I'm over age—I've got to the book-of-life's last page." Your gold's still gold if you are gray, and the war's not going to be won that way.

It's no use saying, "I need not get into khaki for another two years yet." Every penny's of military age today, and the war's not going to be won that way.

It's no use saying, "If I were a man—if you want to help, though a girl, you can. Don't buy frills and furbelows with your pay; the war's not going to be won that way."

Whether young or old, weak, strong or unfit, you can, nay, must, all do your bit. If you can't fight you can pay, pay, pay. The war is going to be won that way.

PLAN WILL CONSERVE GOLD

Issuance of Bullion From Several Mints Is Forbidden.

Washington, Sept. 10.—To conserve gold for essential monetary purposes the government forbade issuance of gold bullion from the mints at Philadelphia, Denver and San Francisco and from the New York assay office without license from the War Industries board, Federal Reserve board or the Secretary of the Treasury.

Reprisals for Assaults.

Amsterdam, Sept. 10.—In Smolensk 34 large land owners and the former Moscow archimandrite, Makari, have been shot as a reprisal for the attempt made on the life of Premier Lenin.

Priority Lists Not Binding.

Washington, Sept. 10.—Sections of the amendment draft regulations made available at the provost marshal general's office show that the new priorities classification of industry, just announced by the war industries board, will not bind district boards in allowing exemptions from military service. Specifically mentioning the subject of priority lists, the regulations governing the draft boards warn that such lists shall not be considered binding upon their action.

AMUSEMENTS

At the Best Today

One of the most remarkable pictures of contemporaneous American life, embracing the divorce question and the more intimate phases of marital relations, is "Old Wives for New," produced by Cecil B. de Mille, from the novel by David Graham Phillips, with the scenario by Jeanie Macpherson. It is an Art-craft picture and will be shown at the Best theatre today.

This is in every way a superlative motion picture offering, one that cannot fall of its appeal because of the vital theme and the masterly manner in which it has been handled. Briefly, it takes up the lives of a man and woman who marry young in the heat of youthful passion and who rue it later when the woman becomes slovenly and obese, while the man gains rather than loses in every way.

They are wealthy, but this can not stay the march of events and in the end it results in divorce. Another woman, really noble in all her instincts, enters the life of the man, nurses him back to life when he is injured to the point of death in a railway accident, and to save whom he takes up with another woman for whom he feels no love.

In the end she finds him and compels him to accept her, despite that, in his desire to save her reputation, he tries to resist the love that will not be denied. The lives of others enter into the story, which searches the very souls of the characters involved, keenly, incisively and betrays the unrest that gnaws at the heart of American social conditions, like a worm at the bud.

At the Best Tomorrow

To see Sessue Hayakawa, the distinguished Japanese actor, in Paramount pictures as a Chinese in a photoplay, is indeed a novelty. Mr. Hayakawa has been seen as a Mexican, Arabian and Hawaiian, and even as a Japanese, but until recently, in his screen career, he had not yet portrayed the role of a Chinese.

In his new photoplay, "The City of Dim Faces," which will be shown at the Best theatre tomorrow, he ap-



pears as a half-cast American Chinese the son of a rich Chinese merchant, and of a white woman. He is taken away from his mother, when he is a mere infant and she becomes demented as a result of the shock. He is educated in a university in the East, and meets a beautiful, intellectual American girl and they fall in love with each other. This girl subsequently breaks their engagement when she sees the reverse side of Chinese life in the Chinese quarters in San Francisco, and in revenge the young Chinese-American makes her a prisoner, then sells her to a marriage broker, who later attempts to auction her off to the highest bidder. The young man learns the secret of his birth and rescues the girl from her shame at the price of his own life.

This is a remarkable photoplay written by Frances Marion, and directed with excellent results by Geo. Melford. Mr. Hayakawa has many excellent screen players in his support, the chief role of the young woman being played by Doris Pawn. The scenes are representative of the Chinese quarter in San Francisco.

Kerosene Found Effective.

Investigations have been carried on to discover remedies for insects which damage such forest products as telegraph poles, railroad ties and tool handles. With hardwood products liable to attack by the so-called powder pest beetle it has been found that kerosene and linseed oil are effective repellents against these insects.

Catarrhal Deafness Cannot be Cured.

By local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure catarrhal deafness, and that is by a constitutional remedy. Catarrhal deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound of imperfect hearing and when it is entirely closed, deafness is the result. Unless the inflammation can be reduced and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever. Many cases of deafness are caused by catarrh which is an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Medicine acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Catarrhal Deafness that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Medicine. Circulars free. All Druggists, 75c.

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MIDSUMMER CALLS FOR COOL CLOTHES

American Women Adopt Costume That Is Best Suited to the Season.

ABANDON WHITE LINEN SKIRT

Adopt French Fashion of Meeting All Emergencies in Costume of Thin Cloth or Any of the Chinese Silks.

New York.—A woman who was looking at some snapshots of fashionable folks in the open on a mid-summer day, remarked on the peculiarly old-fashioned effect of a certain costume. It was a short, white linen skirt buttoned down the front, a white muslin blouse with a wide turn-over collar, a colored sweater opened in front, with pockets and a belt of itself.

"Once upon a time," said this woman, "this costume was considered the uniform of the American summer girl. It was adopted without cavil. It was



The sketch of this gown shows a knife-plaited skirt of white crepe de chine, short and narrow. Above it is an odd little black velvet coat, which is shaped out from the waist at one side and straight on the other. There is a collar of white chiffon and Valenciennes lace, and a pink rose caught at the waist.

accepted without comparison with the fashions of any other country. And yet, at this moment, it looks entirely out of the picture."

There has been no revolution, declares a prominent fashion writer. Changes in summer apparel have been in cities only. They are Americanized French fashions today. Even this summer has seen a distinct change from what has been.

The linen skirt, gored at the top, slightly flaring at the hem, and buttoned down the front, is a thing of the past to a great majority of women who are well dressed by instinct, or because they follow the movement of the crowds. Any skirt is worn but a linen one.

Sweaters in Evidence.

Certain shops say that the sale of sweaters for the autumn is small, but they add that the spring sale was good. We see sweaters in every shop, despite the conservation of wool decree. We see women knitting sweaters for themselves and their children, and not for the soldiers and sailors. We read that colossal department shops have an unusual quantity of yarn and are willing to sell it at moderate prices.

Yet, if one judges fashion by fashionable folk, the colored, knitted sweater has had its day in silk or wool. It is sometimes worn under jackets, on days in the open that need warmth, when the affair is a picnic, a yachting trip or an automobile tour. Otherwise it hangs in the closets of the homes of fashionable women. However, its lack of fashion has not depreciated its monetary value, for yarn is an expensive thing to buy and a most intricate and difficult thing to obtain.

What We Wear in the Open.

The economical reasons for discarding the white linen skirt, the knitted woolen sweater and the ornamental, white muslin blouse are based on expensive laundry and scarcity of material, plus scarcity of labor.

Those large sectors of American society that considered this three-piece costume the most reliable basis for their summer wardrobes, imagined their taste simple and inexpensive. It was neither. Today the propaganda against non-essentials, and the conver-

sion of them into active service for the country have caused the scales to fall from the eyes of thousands of women as to the expense of the costume they adopted.

We expect six more weeks of warm weather, and therefore, we have no absorbing interest in new October clothes. We want to know what is to be worn, and we are most interested in what we hear is being shown in Paris, but at this moment we are struggling with the proposition of enlivening our wardrobe in such a manner that it will keep us going until the first frost.

As the nation has gotten into the habit of living in the country until Thanksgiving, there is a growing tendency to keep one's August clothes in active service by means of top coats and woolen stockings. It must be admitted that the present emergency calls women into town nearly every day, and they may not continue to stay in the country as long as November, but the majority will insist on wearing their summer costume as long as the climate and convention permit.

And right here comes in the excellent good taste of the present mid-summer costumes. Their very departure from the sweater and the separate white skirt permits them to serve at other seasons.

This is the stringent motto that must run the warp and woof of our lives now: to buy that which can be worn on as many days, at as many occasions as economy dictates. In short, we have accepted the European way of dressing for hot weather. It may not appear cool on the surface, but invention, which must go hand in hand with necessity, has shown women how to be cool and clean in dark costumes, or in combinations of dark and light clothes.

Double-Duty Wardrobe.

There are many women who are able to afford two separate wardrobes; one for the gayeties of the country and one for the daily trips to town; but the average woman, and often she is a multi-millionaire, has arranged her wardrobe so that it will serve for both purposes from now until the first of October.

She has taken up the French idea of wearing gowns or suits of very thin, checked material, and instead of an ornamental blouse, she inserts a waistcoat of pongee or colored crepe de chine.

She has found out the good service especially for afternoon wear, of knife-plaited skirts of white crepe de chine



This sketch for which the French woman willingly posed, shows a mid-summer frock of pale gray Chinese crepe de chine, with its tunic coat pushed far back toward the sides to show a sailor blouse of white crepe de chine, with its collar edged with French-blue velvet to match the "Blue Devil" cap on the head.

or thin serge, which she tops with a velvet or satin jacket.

She realizes the comfort of Chinese materials, as well as their durability and she finds that one-piece gowns, made with a long, flowing tunic, like the French resort frocks, are admirable costumes for the train and the motor, and that they serve from the morning war committee, through lunch at some restaurant, to the late afternoon or evening.

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Ribbon of Bright Colors.

Roman striped ribbon is much in vogue. Often they form sashes for sheer white dresses or somber frocks. These gaily-tinted ribbons are also made into the most attractive bags, which are carried with dark-hued gowns.

Novelty Beads in Colors.

Novelty beads are much in vogue. They come in the brightest of colorings and are designed to liven up a frock of somber hue. Enamel buckles in gay tints are used with the same result.

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We offer the "Palmer Garment" with the knowledge that it will prove satisfactory in service, which means that it is the very best possible garment value.

Let us show you some of the new, chic styles, as well as the conservative kinds. In no event can you secure a "Palmer Garment" that is loud, blatant, or that does not adhere strictly to the mode—although each garment is distinctive and appears to have been made especially for the wearer.

E. H. JONES

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Food

Fair Price List

This Food Fair Price List has been prepared by the Brainerd Price Listing Committee of the U. S. Food Administration.

ANDREW E. BERGLUND, Co. Food Adm., Chairman N. BRADY, Sec'y.
SEPTEMBER 10, 1918

Commodity	Wholesale	Retail
Wheat flour, per 1-16 bbl., bag 1, 12 1/2 lbs.	.73	.80
Wheat Flour, bulk, per lb.	.05 1/2	.07
Barley flour, per 1-16 bbl., bag 1, 12 1/2 lbs.	.62	.70
Barley flour, blk, per lb.	.05 1/2	.07
Rye flour, 10 lb. bag	.58	.70
Rye flour, bulk, per lb.	.05 1/2	.07
Corn flour, bulk, per lb.	.05 1/2	.07
Rice flour, bulk, per lb.	.09 1/2	.12 1/2
Corn meal, bulk, per lb.	.05	.06
Cornmeal, package, 10 lb. pkg.	.52	.60
Victory Bread, price per loaf, 24 oz.	.12	.15
Victory bread, price per loaf, 16 oz.	.08	.10
Oatmeal or rolled oats, bulk, lb.	.06 1-3	.08
Oatmeal or rolled oats, pkg., 3 lb 7 oz.	.25 1/2	.30
Rice, unbroken, standard quality, lb.	.11 1/2	.14
Hominy or hominy grits, per lb.	.07 1-3	.09
Sugar, granulated, bulk	.08 1/2	.10
Beans white, navy or pea, not lima, lb.	.12 1/2	.14
Beans, colored, pinto or any other	.12	.15
Potatoes, white or Irish, per lb.	.04 1/2	.06 1/2
Onions, per lb.	.04 1/2	.05
Raisins, seeded, per 16 oz. pkge	.12 1/2	.14
Prunes, medium, size 70-80, lb.	.10 to .12	.12 to .16
Canned tomatoes, standard grade, per 20 oz. no. 2 can	.15	.18
Canned corn, standard grade, per 20 oz. No. 2 can	.15 1/2	.18
Canned peas, standard grade, per 20 oz. No. 2 can	.11 to .16	.12 1/2 to .20
Canned salmon, tall, pink, Alaska, per 16 oz. No. 1 can	.18	.23
Canned salmon tall red Alaska per 16 oz. (No. 1) can	.27	.30
Evaporated milk, unsweetened, per 6 oz. can	.05 1/2	.07
Evaporated milk, unsweetened, per 16 oz. can	.10 to .12 1/2	.12 1/2 to .15
Milk, bottled, per qt.	.09	.10
Butter, creamy, print, per lb.	.45	.50
Oleomargarine, per lb., prints	.31	.35
Eggs, fresh, per doz.	.38	.42
Cheese, American, full cream, cut, per lb.	.31 1/2	.35
Lard, pure, pkg, per lb.	.28 1/2	.32
Lard, pure, in bulk, per lb.	.30 1/2	.35
Lard substitute, tub, per lb.	.23 1/2	.28
Lard substitute in tin, per lb.	.24	.28
Bacon, breakfast, sliced, standard grade, per lb.	.29 to .48	.35 to .62
Pork chops, per lb.	.33 1/2	.40
Ham, smoked, sliced, per lb.	.33 1/2	.45 to .52
Round steak, per lb.	.25 to .32	.25 to .32
Hens, year or more old, dressed, lb.	.18 to .22	.25 to .28
Home Fish, fresh, lb.	.14 to .18	.17 to .21

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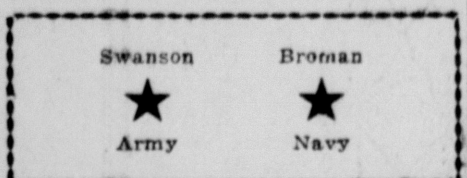
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GASOLINE-LESS SUNDAYS

Soldiers have sent the Brainerd Dispatch copies of New York papers on New York's first gasoline-less Sunday. The soldiers of Brainerd are watching Brainerd to see what we are doing. Obeying the request, you see, contributes to the morale of the boys over here and over there.

The New York American says that patriotism swept away twenty years of New York's history on Sunday, Sept. 1. Obeying the request of the Fuel Administration to save gasoline, the city's motor-riding population either stayed indoors, walked or used street cars.

Never in the history of the city and its environs has such a demonstration of the real war spirit been given. Never has more concrete proof been manifest that New York realizes America is at war.

That the country's first "gasless" Sunday was but the forerunner of "gasless" weekdays was intimated by A. C. Bedford, of the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey and chairman of the Petroleum War Service Committee. He said:

"The response to the government's request was magnificent. The only ones who are at all dissatisfied are the owners of cars who cannot use them save on a Sunday. It is now up to the owners who use their cars during the week to be more careful and save gasoline during the week that the saving goal settled upon by the government can be reached all the sooner and give the Sunday riders a chance to use their cars."

"I do not think that it will be necessary to issue an order. When the American people are asked to do anything within reason, they do it. The response today is wonderful. I am proud of the automobile owners."

Traffic officers kept toll. The Brooklyn Bridge, where as an ordinary thing undulating, snakelike streams of automobiles flow steadily in each direction, the sight of an automobile was a rarity.

On the Williamsburg Bridge, the connecting link for automobilists be-

tween Manhattan and Long Island, and where thousands of pleasure cars usually run on Sundays, not one offender was seen. The usual rate between 9 and 10 A. M. is from ten to twelve cars a minute. During that hour Sunday but ten vehicles passed. Two were milk trucks, one an undertaker's automobile and the remainder were jitneys all bearing New Jersey license tags and all empty save for the driver.

During the same hour not a single pleasure car appeared in either roadway of Brooklyn Bridge.

Along the Bowery, where Sunday pleasure driving is heavy, automobile driving was confined practically all day to ice trucks and delivery automobiles. But eleven cars left the Automobile Club of America all day and they belonged to physicians who were sent for hurriedly.

At Coney Island the usual number of Sunday cars is 10,000. Sunday but 100 machines were seen. Four gasoline launches were seen in Sheepshead Bay.

In Minnesota concessions were made in the shape of travel to and from the state fair.

On the second Sunday, however, Brainerd shows up with a record of 100 cars. The Little Falls Transcript last Saturday said citizens were debating whether they should give up Sunday driving.

If Coney Island can reduce its cars from 10,000 to 100 on a Sunday, it ought not to be such an undertaking to reduce Brainerd's 100 to 10 or less.

Remember, Brainerd boys in the camps and over there are watching Brainerd's record. You help to make that record.

GERMAN PEACE—WHAT IS IT?

The treatment of Russia by Germany should be sufficient warning to every American of what will happen if Germany is not defeated. A German peace will not be a peace at all, but a demand to "sign here." And the amount that the United States would be compelled to sign for would make all the Liberty Loans combined look insignificant.

The situation that confronts the American people is to either make the Fourth Liberty Loan an overwhelming success, or to be taxed with a hopelessly burdensome indemnity levied by Germany, for several generations to come. Yet patriotism and not fear should be the incentive to buy Liberty Bonds.

SLACKERS

The man who buys his share of Liberty Bonds is entitled to no particular credit. He has made a good investment. He has done a part of his duty to his country.

It is the man who don't buy his share that we want to know about. He is a slacker and slackers are dangerous, especially in time of war.

Remember the slacker is not the man who don't buy bonds, some of our most earnest patriots can't. The slacker is the man who can and won't or don't. When you are sure you have one advertise him to his community. Let his neighbors know about it. He has this much at least, coming to him.

THIS DAY IN THE WAR

Sept. 10, 1917—Premier Kerensky deposes Commander-in-chief Korniloff as a traitor, and Korniloff starts his army moving toward Petrograd.

Sept. 10, 1916—Roumanians repulsed in Transylvania.

Sept. 10, 1915—Germans attack French in Vosges with gas bombs.

Sept. 10, 1914—British and French cross Marne in pursuit of Germans falling back from before Paris.

Unduly Suspicious Men.

"Some men," said Uncle Eben, "has been forced to get so suspicious that if you tries to be plain honest wif 'em, dey thinks you has managed to hit on some new kind of a trick."

PICK YOUR OWN CLASS IN DRAFT

In the questionnaire which will be submitted to every man who registers Thursday, the five classifications into which registrants will be divided after claims for exemption have been considered are as follows:

CLASS 1.

Single man without dependent relatives.

Married man, with or without children, or father of motherless children, who has habitually failed to support his family.

Married man dependent on wife for support.

Married man, with or without children, or father of motherless children; man not usefully engaged, family supported by income independent of his labor.

Unskilled or not a necessary farm laborer.

Unskilled or not a necessary industrial laborer.

Registrant by or in respect of whom no deferred classification is claimed.

Registrant who fails to submit questionnaire and in respect of whom no deferred classification is claimed.

Registrant not deferred and not included in any of above divisions.

CLASS 2.

Married man with children, or father of motherless children, where such wife or children or such motherless children are not mainly dependent upon his labor for support for reason that there are reasonably certain resources of adequate support (excluding earnings or possibly earnings from labor of wife) available, and that the removal of registrant will not deprive such dependents of support.

Married man, without children, whose wife, although registrant is engaged in a useful occupation, is not mainly dependent upon his labor for support, for the reason that the wife is skilled in some special class of work which she is physically able to perform, and in which she is employed, or in which there is an immediate opening for her under conditions that will enable her to support herself decently and without suffering or hardship.

Necessary skilled farm laborer in necessary agricultural enterprise.

Necessary skilled industrial laborer in necessary industrial enterprise.

CLASS 3.

Man with dependent children (not his own) but toward whom he stands in relation of parent.

Man with dependent aged or infirm parents.

Man with dependent, helpless brothers or sisters.

County or municipal officer.

Highly trained fireman or policeman in service of municipality.

Necessary customhouse clerk.

Necessary employee of United States in transmission of the mails.

Necessary artificer or workman in United States armory or arsenal.

Necessary employee in service of United States.

Necessary assistant, associate or hired manager of necessary agricultural enterprise.

Necessary highly specialized technical or mechanical expert of necessary industrial enterprise.

Necessary assistant or associate manager of necessary industrial enterprise.

CLASS 4.

Man whose wife or children are mainly dependent on his labor for support.

Mariner actually employed in sea service of citizen or merchant in the United States.

Necessary sole managing, controlling or directing head of necessary agricultural enterprise.

CLASS 5.

Officer—Executive, legislative or judicial—of the United States or of state or territory, or of District of Columbia.

Regularly or duly ordained minister of religion.

Student who on May 18, 1917, or on May 20, 1918 or since May 20, 1918, was preparing for ministry in recognized theological or divinity school, or who on May 20, 1918, or since May 20, 1918, was preparing for practice of medicine and surgery in recognized medical schools.

Person in military or naval service of United States.

Alien enemy.

Resident alien (not an enemy) who claims exemption.

Person morally unfit to be a soldier of the United States.

Persons totally and permanently physically or mentally unfit for military service.

Licensed pilot actually employed in the pursuit of his vocation.

Persons discharged from the army on the ground of alienage or on diplomatic request.

Subject or citizen of co-belligerent country who has enlisted or enrolled in the forces of such country under the terms of a treaty between such

country and the United States providing for reciprocal military service of their respective citizens and subjects.

Subject or citizen of neutral country who has declared his intention to become a citizen of the United States and has withdrawn such intention, under the provision of act of congress approved July 9, 1918, and selective service regulations.

ALLIES CAN WIN WAR

Letter From British War Minister Is Optimistic.

Lord Milner Urges Every Nation to Continue Doing Its Utmost for the Cause.

London, Sept. 10. — Lord Milner, British minister of war, urges the necessity of continuing rushing American troops to France. In reply to an inquiry he wrote the following letter to a correspondent:

"You tell me that in certain circles in the United States the view is current that our recent successes on the West front have made the necessity less urgent of hurrying over American troops to France and that America's splendid war effort can now proceed at a more leisurely pace.

"I quite understand how this view may be held, but I profoundly disagree with it. It seems to me that, on the contrary, the morale of our recent successes is just the opposite.

"The remarkable achievement of the Allies since July 18 is of first importance, for it shows that we can win the war; but most assuredly we will not win the war if we get the idea that we can afford to slacken our effort.

"This applies to every Allied nation. It is the duty of the European Allies to abate nothing of their energy and to act, indeed, as if America were not behind them.

"America's strength—great as it is—can only be relied on to bring about a decision if it is added to the forces of the European Allies, and not substituted for them."



A Photo Play Directed by Cecil B. DeMille always means a theatre full of fascinated people

DE MILLE is a figure of solitary magnificence. He has killed a proverb and has done "something new under the sun." DeMille has made a new art.

Poets, painters and sculptors have become great by following high and ancient tradition, Greece, Rome, or such; with tried material they worked—words, pigment, marble. But Cecil B. DeMille was given a new and curious toy of science—a motion picture camera.

DeMille's was the mind that inspired the great screen masterpieces "Joan the Woman," "Carmen," "The Cheat," "The Devil Stone," "The Woman God Forgot," "Maria Rosa," "The Whispering Chorus." His screen productions have entertained millions.

Hundreds of the country's leading motion picture theatres are showing this week, his newest production, a great photo drama of American social life—

"Old Wives for New"

presented by Jessie L. Lasky from the great story by David Graham Phillips, adapted to the screen by Jeanie Macpherson.

An Artcraft Picture

In this picture he takes the four walls off married life.

See it and you will live it! You will live it as you watch it!

Love is the theme. Love killed by a thoughtless wife. Love reborn through a passionate, mad groping for its true expression, and as certain as your heart is beating now it will beat faster the evening you see this photoplay.



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Great Wartime Economy Sale Lasts Only 4 More Days

This Store Takes Pride In The Fact That it Renders SERVICE TO MEN

Men of Maturity---and Men in the Making---To Men of All Ages, Tastes Sizes and Purses

All these men trade here---and enjoy it; they like this store---its merchandise, its values and its service.

Men have learned that this store is Reliable;---that it keeps its printed promises---and stands back of its merchandise;---that it takes extraordinary care in providing fine and wide assortments, and equal care in fitting and pleasing its customers.

Scores of men are daily coming to know this, and are rewarding us with their confidence and business---a fact that's proven by the tremendous growth of our business in the last years and especially during this great sale.

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TRAFFIC CENSUS BY STATE HIGHWAY DEPT.

Conducted at Corner of Oak and 13th
Streets in Southeast Brainerd
Aug. 1-7

JUNCTION TWO STATE ROADS
Four Tables Combined Give Approximate Traffic as 906 Vehicles
Per Day

The State Highway Department conducted a traffic census at the corner of Oak and 13th streets in Southeast Brainerd during the period of August 1 to 7 inclusive. This place was chosen on account of its being the junction of State Road No. 1 on 13th street and State Road No. 2 on Oak street east of 13th street.

Tabulation were made on vehicles using Oak street east of 13th street and 13th street south of Oak street. The traffic on Oak street west of 13th street was approximately equal to the combined traffic indicated above.

The enumerators attempted to separate the purely city traffic from the

traffic country-bound and made their tabulations accordingly.

Traffic on State Road No. 2 beyond the densely settled part of Oak street averaged 477 vehicles per day. (Tables 1 and 2 Combined).

Traffic on Oak street that did not leave the city averaged 235 vehicles per day. (Table No. 2).

Traffic on Oak street just east of 13th street averaged 712 per day. (Tables 1 and 2 Combined).

Country-bound traffic on 13th street averaged 134 vehicles per day. (Table No. 3).

Local traffic on 13th street was 60 per day. (Table No. 4).

Combined traffic on 13th street just south of Oak street was 194 per day. (Tables 1 and 2).

All four tables combined give the approximate traffic on Oak street west of 13th street as 906 vehicles per day. It may be said that the Oak street traffic is very dense as compared to the average main road street traffic. Accordingly the condition of the street can be expected to remain very poor as long as the present paving has to carry such loads.

Table No. 3. STATE ROAD NO. 1.									
August	1	2	3	4	5	6	7		
Vehicles	124	123	202	164	109	119	95		
Autos	81	87	134	157	66	80	66		
Trucks	15	13	12	3	10	9	5		
Horse Teams	7	6	20	1	15	11	16		
Light Rigs	21	17	36	3	18	19	8		
Foreign Cars	1	1	1	0	0	0	0		
Per Cent Foreign Cars	1	1	1	0	0	0	0		

Table No. 4. STATE ROAD NO. 1.									
August	1	2	3	4	5	6	7		
Vehicles	76	45	87	34	44	74	59		
Autos	54	18	48	22	20	43	49		
Trucks	9	19	20	12	18	27	7		
Horse Teams	3	7	6	0	3	4	1		
Light Rigs	10	1	13	0	3	0	2		
Foreign Cars									
Per Cent Foreign Cars									

Table No. 1. STATE ROAD NO. 2.									
August	1	2	3	4	5	6	7		
Vehicles	441	427	577	690	447	396	361		
Autos	376	354	450	553	352	337	307		
Trucks	21	30	33	16	23	23	17		
Horse Teams	12	14	27	2	35	8	10		
Light Rigs	34	29	67	19	37	28	27		
Foreign Cars	8	12	14	1	11	6	14		
Per Cent Foreign Cars	2	3	3	1-5	3	2	4		

Table No. 2. STATE ROAD NO. 2.									
August	1	2	3	4	5	6	7		
Vehicles	176	206	350	181	233	244	253		
Autos	112	140	241	171	139	164	214		
Trucks	19	52	85	9	53	55	26		
Horse Teams	11	9	13	0	38	18	10		
Light Rigs	34	5	11	1	3	7	3		
Foreign Cars									
Per Cent Foreign Cars									

MILTON MAHLUM WRITES

Somewhere in France is Where Young
Soldier, Son of Mr. and Mrs.
Mons Mahlum Stationed

From somewhere in France, Private Milton Mahlum under date of August 19, writes to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mons Mahlum.

"We are at present in a rest camp near the seaport where we landed," he writes. "We live in small pup tents and our food is good, substantial corn beef, beans, etc. We do not get any fancy things to eat here, but the stuff we get is all good and some of it seems to be of even better quality than we received in the U. S. The cooking of the food is all done on an open field range and our kitchen is one made by us, using

barrels and boxes for tables and shelves. Water is the only difficult thing to get here as France has never had any water or sewerage system.

"We have had the privilege of taking some hikes about the neighborhood during the past week and have had a chance to observe the habits and customs of the natives. Many of the things they do seem queer to us, but I suppose our ways are just as queer to them.

"All the French love the Americans for coming to their rescue and try to show their appreciation in their actions. 'Nearly every man in France is at the front and women do all the work at home and in the field. We visited one small farm house in search of vegetables a few days ago and found a woman with five small children to care for, her husband at war and no help on the farm. There are many similar cases in France, the result of their gallant stand in defense of homes and country.

"We do not know what place we are going to from here, but expect to move to some inland depot, where we will be given some permanent work. We are all anxious to move and get to doing something.

"I haven't seen any one I know over here as yet, but expect as we move about we will probably see a few home boys. In my company is Edw. Seidl of Sleepy Eye, Minn. His father is the Seidl of the Steinke-Seidl Lumber Co. They run nine yards similar to ours in southern Minnesota. He is a fine chap and a good singer and I find his companionship quite interesting as he is so well acquainted with the things I was used to at home."

Young Mahlum's address is 37th P. O. D. Co., American E. F., via New York.

NOTICE TO M. B. A. MEMBERS

Assessments can be paid to H. J. Fletcher, 708 1st Ave. N. E., until further notice. 8213

NOTICE

In order to comply with the wishes of the food administration we will go on a cash and carry system Sept. 15th. There will be no delivery direct to consumers after Friday, Sept. 14. Delivery to stores, hotels and restaurants will continue as before. 7512 C. A. LAGERQUIST.

OVER MILLION DEPOSITS

First National Bank of Brainerd Reveals Steady Growth by Statement Made

A recent statement of the First National Bank of Brainerd shows deposits of \$1,419,096.90. The bank was established in 1881 and has enjoyed a steady growth, keeping pace with development of city and country.

George D. LaBar has been its president many years and much of its growth has been due to his efficient direction.

CABBAGES FLOURISH AT TWIN OAKS FARM

J. C. Barber Raises From Seed Without Transplanting 1500 Giant Thrifty Cabbages

WONDER OF THE COUNTRYSIDE

Mr. Barber Did His Bit in Civil War and Continues it by Raising Wonderful Crops

Sowing seed, J. C. Barber raised 1500 cabbages without transplanting at his Nokay Lake farm at Twin Oaks and never lost a plant. Cabbages ran from 10 to 16 pounds in weight and are of unexcelled firmness and growth.

In addition to cabbages Mr. Barber served his country well by raising large crops of corn, wheat, rye, oats, potatoes, hay, etc., and kept the countryside busy in his fields. Blooded cattle, pigs, sheep, chickens, are other products of the farm.

Mr. Barber as head of large car trucks manufacturing interests, finds time nevertheless to do his bit for Uncle Sam in every way. He is a Civil War veteran who would gladly go back to the ranks, but age bars him and a bullet in his leg is a reminder of a fight where the rebels left a memento that he has carried ever since.

Mr. Barber laughingly recalls the draft and enlistments of the civil war. When he enlisted with a number of other boys they drove to town in a wagon, went to the postoffice, signed their names to the call and were accepted. No thumping of lungs, no measuring, no questions. And every recruit made good and did his boy's share which equalled a good man's part, in that war.

"Talk about food," said Mr. Barber, "we never saw ham or bacon, milk, very little sugar, no canned goods, no coffee, no bread. It was salt pork, beans, hard tack. Our company was full of lads ages 18 to 21 and they were all huskies, just like the youthful, fire eating Marines that cleaned up the huns at Chateau Thierry. We had a man of 32 in the company and the kids called him Grandpa and half the time he was sick."

AUTO BANDITS GET \$20,000

Four Men Hold Up Cashier of Bank in Chicago Suburb.

Chicago, Sept. 10.—Four automobile bandits with revolvers robbed the cashier of the Provident bank, Maywood, of \$10,000 and escaped.

Cashier Langmuir was the only official in the building at the time. He said the robbers appeared to be under 21 years old. Later it was said the amount taken was about \$20,000, but that the exact sum could not be determined.

The Kaiser is After the Devil's Place

BY WABANY GARBO.

(Pen Name of R. L. Weeks, 1517 Linden Place, Minneapolis, Former Brainerd Resident)

Old Kaiser Bill will get his fill Of trying the world to rule. To start in such a job he must have been a fool. With his "Me and Gott" he will find it hot In the darkest pits of hell. He has got it coming as surely time will tell. For of all of the zins that were ever done He has got them beaten ten to one.

You can't find a word in our language, try as you can, To fit such a brute in the shape of a man. I have searched all through Webster and have to give up Of finding a name for such a contemptible pup. His name in his own language explains it the best—"WILL HELL UM" I think stands the test.

The devil commenced when the brute was a pup And worked in his own way to bring him up. He gave him instructions in how to tell lies And in pulling the wool over all nations' eyes. He studied hard in the arts of hell And the devil saw he was doing so well. He graduated with honors that was something grand And received his diploma from the devil's own hand.

He manufactured sins that was his own invention. To destroy other nations was his greatest intention. The devil smiled when he saw how well He had lived up to the teaching of hell. But when the Kaiser came out with his long range gun He heaved a sigh and said "For raising hell he has got me done." He stood and looked on with a sorrowful face. Then he said "The next thing I know he will be after my piece."

6 MEN CALLED TO LIMITED SERVICE

Left Brainerd 12:50 P. M. on St. Paul Train for Fort Snelling, Assigned as Clerks

FIVE WERE BRAINERD BOYS

One, Thomas W. Beare, is Attorney From Ironton—Many at Depot to Bid Goodbye

Six Crow Wing county men, called for limited service, left Brainerd for Fort Snelling on the 12:50 St. Paul train Tuesday.

They were Al Mraz, assistant cashier of the First National bank of Brainerd; Jewett Peterson, clerk of the American Express company, Brainerd; Thomas Wellington Beare, lawyer of Ironton; John Anthony Pusinelli, who has been an engineering clerk at Carbondale, Ill.; Edward Alexander Nelson, last employed at Lewiston; David Harry Fullerton. They will be assigned service as clerks.

There was a large gathering at the depot to bid the young men goodbye and cheer them on their way.

PREPARATION FOR 4TH LIBERTY LOAN

Everyone Asked to Telp Take Down all Third Liberty Loan Posters in Evidence

GIVE WAY TO THE NEW ONES

In Brainerd All Boy Scouts Have Been Asked to Help in This Clean Up

As a part of the preparation for the Fourth Liberty Loan, everybody is requested to help take down, conceal or destroy all Third Liberty Loan posters. The posters used last time were very artistic and did their service well, but not to detract from the Fourth Loan posters, which are reported to be very impressive, all old posters should disappear.

In Brainerd the Boy Scouts have been asked to help in this clean-up campaign and will soon be seen making raids.

"Let us all clean house before starting the new drive," said County Chairman Carl Zapffe.

ALBERT J. CUNNINGHAM

Writes Mother, Mrs. J. B. Cunningham, Route 4, Brainerd, of Losing His Leg

Albert J. Cunningham in a letter to his mother, Mrs. J. B. Cunningham, Route 4, Brainerd, residing seven miles west of Brainerd near Gull River, writes of losing his leg in battle in France. The letter follows:

Aug. 10, 1918.
Dear Mother:
Will drop you a few lines to let you know how I am, and where. I am in a hospital at Paris, am getting along pretty good now. Well don't let this worry you too much when I tell you I have lost my leg.

I was hit with a shell of high explosive in the left knee, it didn't blow it off, but they had to take it off above the knee. They tried for two weeks to save it, but there was too much of the bone gone, and the doctor said I would always have a bum leg and would have to have it off in time. He said a cork leg, the kind the government furnishes, would be twice as good to me as my own.

Well I expect to be back in the states in a couple of months now. Well I guess I have done my bit any-

FURS! FURS! FURS!

Large Sized Shawls and Scarfs

Furs are pretty as well as very practical and Fashion has asked for particularly pretty shapes this season.

We now have a window full of these pretty shapes in popular furs at very reasonable prices.

Come and see them---for furs are very practical now as well as when the weather grows bitter.

H. F. Michael Co.

Be Sure You Get the Right Stove

The health and comfort of the entire family depend largely upon the heater selected.

The Round Oak Square Base

(burns all fuels) will not only deliver steady continuous heat, but will prove to be perfect in control. The reasons why are built into the stove.

Your investigation will compliment your choice. Invest in one this season, tomorrow. We will be mighty glad to show you why it's the best way.

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Exclusive Distributors of Round Oak Stoves and Ranges, and Moistair Heating Systems

SLIPP BLOCK

BRAINERD, MINN.

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With this attachment and needle you can play the Beautiful Pathe record on any machine made.

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706 Laurel St.

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Wholesale and retail buyers of Irons, Metals, Rubber, Rags, Magazines, Bags, Hides and Furs, highest market prices paid. A square deal assured all who trade with me. Call or telephone 941.

Brainerd Iron & Metal Co
H. PERLMAN, Prop.

Dispatch Want Ads

HELP WANTED

WANTED—Girls at Ideal hotel, 2952-821f

WANTED—Porter at the Iron Exchange hotel, 2951-821f

WANTED—Bell Boy, Ransford hotel, 2926-781f

WANTED—Good girl for general housework, Mrs. J. A. Thabes, 417 Holly St., 2955-831f

WANTED—One pantry and one silver girl at Ransford hotel, 2961-821f

WANTED—Girl for general housework, Mrs. Claus Theorin, apply sheriff's residence, 2943-801f

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework, Apply F. H. Gruenhagen at Slipp-Gruenhagen Co., 2921-781f

WANTED—An elderly woman or girl to do housework, 710 8th St., N. E., 2947-8116p

WANTED at once, girl for kitchen work at Dairy Lunch room, 2790-541f

WANTED—Girl at St. Joseph's hospital, 2934-791f

WANTED—Good plain cook for small family at the Iron Exchange hotel, 2789-541f

WANTED—Drill helpers, Steady work, Apply Crosby Exploration Co., Crosby, Minn., 2964-841f

WANTED AT ONCE—Girl for general housework, Mrs. W. A. M. Johnstone, 507 N. 4th St., 2916-771f

WANTED—Fireman, Steady employment for competent, careful man, Model Laundry Co., 2897-731f

WANTED—Girl for general housework; washing sent out, Mrs. Carl Zapfe, 504 3rd St. N., 2870-691f

WANTED—Experienced girl for general housework, Mrs. W. H. Taylor, corner 3rd St. and Bluff Ave., 2821-611f

WANTED—Girl for general housework; \$20 per month, Care J. E. O'Brien, D. M. Clark Co., 2901-741f

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Furnished room, 722 South Broadway, 1f

FOR RENT—Seven room house, Inquire at 406 6th St. S., 2603-161f

FOR RENT—Modern house, partly or unfurnished, 1011 Kingwood, Inquire at 305 E. Bluff Ave., 2872-691f

FOR RENT—Furnished modern home 623 N. 7th St. Phone 381-L, 2935-781f

FOR RENT—Five room cottage, Inquire 225 Chippewa St., 2888-721f

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping on first and second floors, Call at 307 South 7th St., 2855-671f

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms in modern house, 517 No. Fifth St., 2887-541f

FOR RENT—Beautifully furnished home on North Side, suitable for one or two families, J. H. Kreselberg, phone 368-J, 2963-831f

FURNISHED ROOMS for light housekeeping, 601 2nd Ave. N. E., Phone 42-R, 2941-801f

FOR RENT—Sept 15th, 5 room house 707 S. 5th St., at \$10.00, Four room cottage, 816 6th Ave. N. E., at \$10.00, W. L. Curtis, Hubert, Minn., 2960-8316

FOR SALE

FOR SALE CHEAP—Nearly new 6 cylinder, 5 passenger car, Inquire at this office, 2900-74112p

FOR SALE CHEAP—One 12 h. p. Fuller & Johnson gasoline engine, with movable trucks, Woodhead Motor Co., 2742-451f

FOR SALE CHEAP—Cottage at Nisswa, Terms if desired, Address J. S., Dispatch, 2733-431f

FOR SALE—Five passenger automobile, Inquire at Dispatch office, 2823-611f-341fw

FOR SALE—Fine summer cottage on Hubert lake, within two minutes walk of Hubert station, Fine beach, Best location on lake, Inquire at this office or address E. W. Kaley, Hubert, Minn., 2910-771f

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—For improved farm, 7 room house in Crosby, Write Box 234, Crosby, Minn., 2958-83112p

FOR SALE—Nicely located modern home of ten rooms and bath, steam heat, electric lights and gas, barn and garden lot, Smaller property taken in trade, See owner, 213 N. 9th St., 2954-8216

FOR SALE—Continued

FOR SALE—Household furniture, 605 Holly St., 2962-8316p

FOR SALE—Six foot show case and cash register, Excellent shape, Call 601-M4, 2839-641f

FOR SALE—Garage, good sills, room for two cars, easy terms, Phone 577-J, 2918-771f

FOR SALE—Ford, in first class mechanical condition, completely overhauled, Bargain, Can be seen at 700 S. 5th St., or phone 483-L, Clifford Russell, 2946-8116p

FOR SALE—Finest income bearing property in Brainerd, the Pearce block of five stores and eight furnished flats, a nine-room house, a five-room house, garage holding seven cars, and 140 feet trackage, Sell for cash or on terms, Leaving Brainerd account poor health of Mrs. Pearce, Address J. K. Pearce, Pearce block, Brainerd, Minn., 2904-751f

FOR SALE—Good cupboard, sewing machine and small articles still to be sold, Call at the Gardner store room on corner of 5th and Laurel, opposite City Hall, 2947-8116p

MISCELLANEOUS

WASHING WANTED—702 South Maple, 2950-82112p

STRAYED—To my farm 5 cows, Owner claim, pay charges, Thomas Beare, Brainerd, 2966-8413

WANTED—Furnished flat, one or two rooms, bath and kitchen, Address "Z," care of Dispatch, 2875-701f

LOST—Sept. 8 between Brainerd and Carlton, a brown fur necktie, Reward, Mrs. H. M. Wadsworth, 163 E. Boulevard, Morgan Park, Duluth, Minn., 2965-8413

GOT THE PROMISED CHILD

How Chilcat Natives Kept Their Word With the Missionaries, of Five Years' Standing.

In my intimate companionship with Muir in Alaska I saw many instances of his warm human sympathy, S. Hall Young writes in World Outlook. One occurred when in 1879 we were visiting the tribe of Chilcats. These Chilcats, recognized as the most warlike and arrogant of the Thlinget tribes, were nevertheless so interested in the gospel message I had to bring them that they crowded the house where we lodged, filling it full and prying off planks from its side so that those without could hear.

The first night we spent in the village, after an all-day's palaver, we were about to retire to our blankets when a woman brought a baby to us which was almost a skeleton from lack of nourishment, and whose feeble cry was most pitiful to hear. The woman explained that the baby's mother had died, and that they had no food for the child—none of the other women being in condition to nurse it. At once Muir and I set about preparing condensed milk for the baby. We diluted it with warm water until we thought it of the proper consistency, and fed it to the starving baby. The child was almost too weak to take this nourishment, and it required the utmost patience and care to feed it. Muir worked with that little papoose almost all night, rocking it in his arms and soothing its cries, and when at last it rested in a healthful, refreshing sleep, he carefully showed the woman how to prepare its food, and insisted upon leaving all of our remaining canned milk for the baby. The natives voluntarily told me when we were about to leave that if the baby lived it belonged to me and they would bring it down to Fort Wrangel. I thought but little of this promise, knowing how easily people forget such things; but five years after this occurrence I was surprised to have some Chilcat natives bring a sturdy and healthy little boy, and formally give him to me, saying that this was the baby whose life we had saved, and he therefore belonged to us. The child was taken into our mission at Wrangel, and I baptized him with the name of "John," after my friend.

One of Uncle Sam's Boys. Although he had twice been unable to make his way through a steam-filled compartment, Walter D. McLea, a chief machinist's mate, national naval volunteers, United States navy, made a third go at it, and with success. In doing this he prevented a much more serious accident, and for his valor has been commended by the secretary of the navy. The engine room had been filled with live steam when the breaking of the tiller carried away the exhaust lines of the steering engine. At the first alarm McLea tried to enter the compartment where the steam was escaping, but it was not until he had made three trips down the ladder that he was successful in stopping the flow. McLea went into the navy April 8, 1917, entering the naval volunteers at Erie, Pa.

OPEN ATTACK ON REVENUE BILL

Republicans in House Criticize Measure as Unduly Excessive.

TOUCHES OF POLITICS

Principal Complaints Are Inequalities in Levying Taxes and Charges of Waste in Government Expenditures.

Washington, Sept. 10. — The War revenue bill came in for general Republican criticism during the debate in the House.

Inequalities and inconsistencies in levying taxes, characterized as unnecessarily high, and charges of waste in government expenditures, were the principal complaints made in prepared speeches by Representative Fordney of Michigan and Moore of Pennsylvania, ranking Republican members of the Ways and Means committee. Both, however, promised to vote for the bill in nonpartisan furtherance of American success in the war, despite their criticisms.

Hearings by the Senate Finance committee on the bill were confined to objections to minor provisions.

Charge Excessive Taxation. Excessive taxation and a failure to raise tariff rates were emphasized by Representative Fordney, who said the bill proposed to secure 45 per cent of this year's actual expenditures (\$18,000,000,000 exclusive of Allied loans) by taxation. As alleged extravagance in expenditures, Mr. Fordney cited government contracts, some, he said, netting profits up to 1,000 per cent.

There were touches of politics in discussion. While partisanship had not entered into framing the bill, Representative Fordney charged that "President Wilson alone has shown partisan politics" and Mr. Moore declared that the Republican minority was helpless in framing the bill and if control would not have brought forth the measure as it stands.

Urge Creel Be "Kicked Out." Among instances of alleged waste of government money, Representative Fordney included certain publications issued by Chairman Creel of the committee on public information, who, he said, should be "kicked out." Representative Moore called attention to the aircraft expenditures, and "cost plus" contracts covering contractors' taxes.

Urging an investigation of government contracts which include taxes on contractors' expenses, Representative Madden of Illinois declared they "are an outrage and the sooner investigated the better."

GOVERNMENT CROP FORECAST

Serious Falling Off in Corn Yield Is Predicted.

Washington, Sept. 10.—Heavy loss in the prospective corn crop but a considerable increase in the forecast in spring wheat production featured the September crop report issued by the Department of Agriculture.

Lack of rain during August in the principal producing sections of the corn belt caused a reduction of 317,000,000 bushels in the crop forecast, bringing the loss in prospective production since July 1, to 487,000,000 bushels.

A corn crop of 2,672,000,000 bushels this year was forecast from September 1 conditions.

The spring wheat crop report showed improvement and there was an increase of 21,000,000 bushels in the forecast of production, bringing the prospective crop to 343,000,000 bushels.

BANDITS NEAR OIL FIELD

Mexicans Menace Supply of British and American Navies.

Washington, Sept. 10.—The Mexican bandit leader, Paley, has seized Panuco, near Tampico, according to word received here. The constitutionalist forces retreated under the bandits' onslaught and are now awaiting reinforcements. Panuco is west of Tampico and at the edge of a large oil field, which is supplying the British and American navies. No British nor American troops are in the vicinity and it is possible that bandits may attempt to interfere with the oil supply.

LEASE EXHIBITION BUILDING

Army Officials Plan Great Reconstruction Hospital.

Washington, Sept. 10.—The War department announced that the Grand Central Palace, a big exhibition building in New York city, had been leased for use as an army surgical reconstruction hospital.

Views On Oil Land Bill Sought.

Washington, Sept. 10.—Senate and House conferees on the oil leasing bill after an all-day session failed to settle differences growing out of amendments to the measure because of divergent opinions as to the attitude of administration officials toward the development of western mineral lands and the naval oil reserves in California and Wyoming. It was decided to ask the attorney general and the secretaries of the navy and interior to appear before them and outline their views.

529 LOSSES REPORTED

U. S. Casualties Now Amount to 27,702.

Last List Cabled by Pershing Shows 44 Killed, 374 Wounded and 145 Missing.

Washington, Sept. 10.—General J. J. Pershing has cabled to the war department 529 casualties among the American Expeditionary Forces in Europe.

The new casualties bring America's losses to 27,702.

Forty-four officers and men were killed in action, General Pershing's last list showed. Other casualties were: Died of wounds, 23; died of disease, 6; wounded, 374 and missing in action 145.

Northwest names appear as follows: Corp. Henry B. Hendrickson, Verdale, Minn., Corp. William H. Neustel, Robinson, N. D., Private C. E. Anderson, Gove, Minn., killed in action; Lieut. Sophy D. Gunderson, Sharon, N. D., Corp. John H. Norton, Breckenridge, Minn., Mechanic Alvin P. Blau, Belle Plaine, Minn., Privates James L. Newall, Belle Plaine, Minn., Pasquale Parenti, Minneapolis, severely wounded; Sergt. John Donald McLean, St. Paul, Mechanic Claf Brooks, Fergus Falls, Minn., Privates Robt. L. Adamson, Fergus Falls, Minn., Algot Anderson, North St. Cloud, Minn., Andrew H. Anderson, Rochester, Minn., Anton Anderson, Rhame, N. D., Julian P. Arneson, Barnesville, Minn., Emil A. Fisher, Detroit, Minn., Matt Fortin, Turton, S. D., Herbert O. Ellingbee, Kirkhoven, Minn., John Fisher, Bemidji, Minn., Clarence L. Kelly, St. Paul, Herman J. Bagdons, Milbank, S. D., Albert L. Fontana, Delano, Minn., Harry Peterson, Rabey, Minn., Gilmore L. Foss, Caledonia, Minn., Otto J. Kragness, Slayton, Minn., Beryl H. Smith, Aberdeen, S. D., wounded, degree undetermined; Privates John P. Turpin, Makonien, Minn., Forest Tidd, Brunswick, Minn., Levi P. Richmond, Pequot, Minn., missing in action; Sergt. Frank E. Andrea, Beresford, S. D., Private Oliver Peterson, Twin Valley, Minn., died of wounds; Privates Alvin Westlund, Atwater, Minn., Albert V. Anysefsky, Little Falls, Minn., Phillip I. Brovold, Minneapolis, Frank C. Gilbertson, St. Paul, Herman Gulbranson, Duluth, Clifton N. Moffit, Chandler, Minn., Max Neubauer, Smithville, Minn., missing in action; Privates Gabriel P. Hombly, Fairfield, N. D., Severin Tangebe, Fossell, Minn., George A. Wright, Casselton, N. D., wounded severely; Corp. Andrew Jensen, Milnor, N. D., Privates Newton M. Berry, Plato, Minn., Clifford S. Billows, St. Paul, Edwin J. Bowers, Minneapolis, Adolph F. Carlson, Rock Creek, Minn., Albert J. Dolvin, Little Falls, Minn., Arthur Erickson, Irene, S. D., Thorvald Granby, Poplar, Minn., Harry E. Pufude, Glencoe, Minn., wounded, degree undetermined.

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